

PREVAILED

Roll Call No. \_\_\_\_\_

FAILED

Ayes \_\_\_\_\_

WITHDRAWN

Noes \_\_\_\_\_

RULED OUT OF ORDER

## HOUSE MOTION \_\_\_\_\_

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 137 be amended to read as follows:

- 1           Page 6, after line 2, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
2           "SECTION 5. IC 20-8.1-3-32 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
3           FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 32. ~~Enforcement of~~  
4           ~~Chapter.~~ **(a)** It is the duty of each superintendent, attendance officer  
5           and state attendance official to enforce the provisions of this chapter in  
6           their respective jurisdictions and to **either:**  
7                 **(1)** execute the affidavits; **or**  
8                 **(2) bring the action;**  
9           authorized under this section. This duty is several and the failure of one  
10          (1) or more to act shall not excuse any other official from ~~his~~ **the**  
11          obligation to enforce this chapter.  
12          **(b) Except as provided in subsection (c),** affidavits against parents  
13          for violations of this chapter shall be prepared and filed in the same  
14          manner and under the procedure prescribed for filing affidavits for the  
15          prosecution of public offenses. Affidavits under this ~~section~~ **subsection**  
16          shall be filed in the circuit court of the county in which the affected  
17          child resides. The prosecuting attorney shall file and prosecute actions  
18          under this ~~section~~ **subsection** as in other criminal cases. The court shall  
19          promptly hear cases brought under this ~~section.~~ **subsection.**  
20          **(c) A superintendent or attendance officer may bring an action**  
21          **against a parent under this subsection to compel the attendance of**  
22          **the parent's child under this chapter. An action under this**  
23          **subsection must be brought in the court that has civil jurisdiction**  
24          **in the county in which the affected child resides. The court shall**

1 promptly hear cases brought under this subsection.

2 SECTION 6. IC 20-8.1-14 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
3 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
4 JULY 1, 2001]:

5 **Chapter 14. Parental Participation in a Student's Education**

6 **Sec. 1. This chapter does not apply to a nonpublic school.**

7 **Sec. 2. (a) Each school in a school corporation shall develop a**  
8 **written compact between the school, the students, the students'**  
9 **teachers, and the students' parents.**

10 **(b) A written compact developed under subsection (a) shall**  
11 **contain the expectations for the school, the student, the student's**  
12 **teachers, and the student's parents.**

13 **(c) Each educator at the school shall affirm and sign the**  
14 **compact, and each student and the student's parents shall come to**  
15 **the school before the start of each school year to sign and affirm**  
16 **the compact.**

17 **Sec. 3. A parent shall make a reasonable effort to comply with**  
18 **the terms of the compact, including attending all parent-teacher**  
19 **conferences and disciplinary proceedings concerning the child.**

20 **Sec. 4. (a) A superintendent or principal may bring an action**  
21 **against a parent under this section to compel the parents to:**

22 **(1) enter into; or**

23 **(2) comply with the terms of;**  
24 **a compact under this chapter.**

25 **(b) An action under this section must be brought in the court**  
26 **that has civil jurisdiction in the county in which the affected child**  
27 **resides.**

28 **(c) The court shall promptly hear cases brought under this**  
29 **subsection."**

(Reference is to ESB 137 as printed March 30, 2001.)

---

Representative Crawford